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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: :

Michael G. Wylie : Examiner: **D. Jones**

SERIAL NO.: **09/778,290** :

Art Unit: **1614**

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Hon. Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.112

Sir:

This is in reply to the Office Action mailed September 10, 2002, the period for response thereto having been extended for a period of three (3) months to expire on March 10, 2003, pursuant to Applicant's Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) filed concurrently herewith.

REMARKS

Claims 1-39 are listed as pending in the application, and claims 1-39 have been rejected. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection of claims 1-39 is requested.